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REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

For the Year Ending February 15, 1896.

To the district and town of Chesterfield:

The schools the past year have generally been satisfactory. Teachers have not in all instances realized our expectations. Parents rarely (all of them) do their full duty in striving to sustain discipline and uphold the teachers. The children understand the drift of home opinion and lose interest, and the standard of the school is lowered and progress interrupted.

Parents, knowing how hard it is to manage their own children, should be lenient in their judgment of teachers called to govern a large number of pupils, of all grades and temperaments. Perfection cannot be expected. Parents, teachers and scholars will occasionally fail in their duties pertaining to the schools; but for the best results all must work together to the extent of their ability, and if there is a fault, smother it, if possible, and by all means prevent it from being proclaimed from the hill-tops.

In one-half of the schools the same teachers have been employed throughout the year, and one school has had the same teacher eleven consecutive terms. In the other schools various reasons have rendered changes necessary and unavoidable. Could we obtain teachers intending to make teaching a life-work, rather than a pastime between school-life and matrimony, or other permanent business, we should have much less difficulty in procuring and keeping thorough, progressive and successful instructors.

The average attendance of scholars has been about ninety

per cent. of the number belonging to the schools, showing a loss of one-tenth of the school funds from irregular attendance, a large portion of which might have been prevented by a little parental effort. Why not in the future make that effort?

The number of children between the ages of five and fifteen years, as found by the last enumeration, was one hundred and thirty-five.

By comparing the accompanying report of the treasurer with last year's report, it will be seen that the expenses of the schools have averaged a little less than for the previous year, and as there remains in the town treasury about one hundred and twenty dollars of a former appropriation for repairs of school houses and furniture, it would appear that the appropriation for schools the coming year need not be increased.

STATISTICAL TABLE No. 1.

NUMBER OF SCHOOL.	Paid for teachers and board.	No. of scholars attending.	Wks. of school, summer term.	Wks. of school, fall term.	Wks. of school, winter term.	Aver. monthly pay of teachers and board.	Aver. daily attendance summer term.	Aver. daily attendance, fall term.	Aver. daily attendance, winter term.	Per cent. daily attendance—summer term.	Per cent. daily attendance—fall term.	Per cent. daily attendance—winter term.	Per cent. daily attendance for the year.	No. of visits by parents and others.
No. 1,	$215.00	22	10	10	10	$28.67	14	15	17	.88	.88	.89	.88	49
No. 3,	195.00	16	10	10	10	26.00	14	12	9	.93	.92	.90	.92	81
No. 5,	220.00	29	10	10	10	29.33	19	26	16	.90	.96	.84	.90	47
No. 7,	180.00	14	10	10	10	24.00	10	10	7	.91	.91	.87	.90	21
No. 9,	215.00	21	10	10	10	28.66	11	17	8	.85	.94	.73	.84	59
No. 10,	175.00	12	10	10	10	23.33	8	9	7	.82	.90	.77	.83	52
No. 13 Primary,	210.00	29	10	10	10	28.00	22	21	16	.96	.88	.95	.93	107
No. 13 Grammar,	240.00	19	10	10	10	32.00	13	17	16	100	.94	.94	.96	100
Totals,	$1,650.00	162	80	80	80	$27.50	111	127	96					

STATISTICAL TABLE No. 2.

Number Pursuing Studies Below Named in the Several Schools.

NUMBER OF SCHOOL.	Reading.	Spelling.	Writing.	Arithmetic.	Geography.	Grammar.	History.	Composition.	Physiology.	Book-keeping.	Algebra.	Geometry.	Philosophy.	Botany.	Drawing.	Vocal Music.
No. 1,	22	22	21	17	9	4	2				2		2			
No. 3,	16	16	16	16	11	3	2	5	2						15	15
No. 5,	29	29	28	28	18	11	5	2	9	1	5	2				
No. 7,	14	14	14	11	6	1	1		1	1	1					
No. 9.	21	21	14	19	8	4	4	14	3	1						
No. 10,	12	12	11	9	8	5	4	4		1						
No. 13 Primary,	29	29	29	29	10			10								
No. 13 Grammar,	19	18	19	17	17	17	9	17	3	3	2	2		4		
Totals,	162	161	152	146	77	45	27	52	18	7	10	4	2	4	15	15

ROLL OF HONOR.

SCHOOL NO. 1.

First term—Edith M. Chamberlain, Frank A. Snow.

Second term—Gertie Davis.

Third term—Chester M. Burnham, Winfield G. Farr, Harold E. Randall, Leslie B. Ford.

SCHOOL NO. 3.

First term—Maud M. Davis, Perley C. Andrews, Marshall H. Farr, Wayne H. Rice, Dan M. Rice.

Second term—Loella E. Amidon, Maud M. Davis, Julian D. Farr, Marshall H. Farr, Wayne H. Rice.

Third term—Perley C. Andrews, Julian D. Farr, Wayne H. Rice.

SCHOOL NO. 5.

First term—Edith F. Clark, Lena M. Smith, Helen A. Rice, Marietta Webb.

Second term—Edith F. Clark, Bertha F. Pierce, Florence L. Spaulding.

Third term—Charlotte G. Spaulding.

SCHOOL NO. 7.

First term—Edna S. McClening, Ethel M. Shaw, Dora L. Shaw.

Second term—Edna S. McClening, Evie D. Whittemore, Winnie E. Robbins.

Third term—Edna S. McClening, Clifford C. McClening.

SCHOOL NO. 9.

First term—Lizzie Brown, Leland Hubbard.

SCHOOL NO. 10.

First term—Mabel A. Amidon, Grace I. Winn, Carrie A. Winn, Haven L. Farr.

Second term—Albert L. Amidon.

SCHOOL NO. 13, PRIMARY.

First term—Anna Boucher, Bernice A. Buzzell, Thirza B. Chase, Florence E. Naylor, Jennie B. Pierce, Lilla M. Pierce, Myrtie E. Pierce, Bessie D. Puffer, Minnie M. Thompson, Herbert N. Puffer, Walter S. Puffer, Warren P. Truell.

Second term—Grace M. Denno, Mabel F. Denno, Florence E. Naylor, Alta M. Pierce, Jennie B. Pierce, Floyd A. Denno, Herbert N. Puffer, Walter S. Puffer.

Third term—Jennie B. Pierce, Reba A. Torrey, Clifford N. Tuttle.

SCHOOL NO. 13, GRAMMAR.

First term—Emma Hicks, Adaline Starkey, Sanford A. Emerson, Wallace T. Phillips.

Second term—Lilla M. Pierce, Sanford A. Emerson.

Third term—Irene I. Ingalls, Lilla M. Pierce, Minnie M. Thompson, Daisy York, Sanford A. Emerson, Wallace T. Phillips.

The attendance of the following has been perfect throughout the year: Edna S. McClening, Lilla M. Pierce, Jennie B. Pierce, Sanford A. Emerson, Wayne H. Rice.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. BUTLER,
TIMOTHY N. ROBERTSON,
HERMON G. SMITH,
School Board.

REPORT OF
TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD.

Received of the town,	$2,160 12
Remaining in the treasury from last year,	39 88
Total amount received,	$2,200 00

EXPENSE OF SCHOOLS.

1895.	NO. 1 SCHOOL.	
June.	John C. Fessenden, teaching 10 weeks,	$50 00
"	Mrs. H. G. Smith, boarding 10 weeks,	25 00
Nov.	John C. Fessenden, teaching 10 weeks,	50 00
"	Mrs. H. G. Smith, boarding 10 weeks,	25 00
	Mrs. H. G. Smith, cleaning school houses,	4 00
	A. M. Brown, for 1½ cords wood fitted,	6 00
1896.		
Feb.	Harold L. Ford, teaching 10 weeks,	40 00
	Mrs. H. G. Smith, boarding 10 weeks,	25 00
	H. G. Smith, sundry expenses as per bill,	4 55
	Melvin M. Smith, 2 bills,	5 52
	Olin R. Farr, kindlings as per bill,	5 00
	Winfield Farr, building fires,	2 00
	A. A. Byard, lumber for blackboards,	75
	Snow & Brown, 1½ cords wood fitted,	6 00
		$248 82

1895.	NO. 3 SCHOOL.	
June.	Nellie Lavelle, teaching 10 weeks,	$40 00
"	Mrs. H. G. Smith, boarding 10 weeks,	25 00
July.	Norman G. Colburn, 3 cords wood fitted,	12 00
Nov.	Nellie Lavelle, teaching 10 weeks,	40 00
"	Mrs. H. G. Smith, boarding 10 weeks,	25 00
1896.		
Feb.	Nellie Lavelle, teaching 10 weeks,	40 00
	Mrs H. G. Smith, boarding 10 weeks,	25 00
	Wayne Rice, building fires,	2 00
		$209 00
1895.	NO. 5 SCHOOL.	
June.	R. Allen Harris, teaching 10 weeks including board and care of room,	$80 00
Nov.	Lavernie C. Webster, teaching 10 weeks, and including board,	70 00
June.	Mrs. A. M. Grover, for conveyance of children,	5 00
"	S. C. Morrison, for conveyance of children,	5 00
Nov.	Mrs. A. M. Grover, for conveyance of children,	8 00
"	S. L. Morrison, for conveyance of his children,	5 00
1896.		
Feb.	Lavernie C. Webster, for teaching 10 weeks, including board,	70 00
"	Guy F. Safford, for building fires,	1 28
"	S. C. Morrison for conveyance of children,	10 00
"	Harry H. Spaulding, for building fires,	1 50
	Van Doorn & Morris, for wall paper,	3 66
	T. N. Robertson, for repairs in ante-room, and setting glass,	1 50
	T. N. Robertson, for kindlings and cleaning out privy,	1 75
	T. N. Robertson, 2 cords wood fitted,	8 00
	T. N. Robertson, washing school house,	1 50

1895.	NO. 7 SCHOOL.	
June,	Josie E. Taylor, for teaching 10 weeks, including board,	$60 00
"	Chester M. McClening, for 2 cords of wood, fitted and housed,	8 00
Nov.	Josie E. Taylor, for teaching 10 weeks, including board,	60 00
"	Elmira Robbins, for cleaning school house and repairing,	2 25
1896.		
Feb.	Josie E. Taylor, for teaching 10 weeks and board,	60 00
"	Clifford C. McClening, for building fires,	2 00
"	D. W. Slade, for broom and dipper,	40
		$192 65
1895.	NO. 9 SCHOOL.	
June.	John C. McCoughern, for teaching 10 weeks, including board,	$75 00
"	A. M. Brown, for 3 cords wood, fitted,	12 00
"	John O. Hubbard, for conveying scholars,	30 00
Nov.	C. L. Woodworth, for teaching 10 weeks,	40 00
"	William Brown, for boarding 10 weeks,	25 00
"	John O. Hubbard, for conveying scholars,	30 00
1896.		
Feb.	C. L. Woodworth, teaching 10 weeks,	45 00
"	William Brown, for boarding 10 weeks,	30 00
"	John O. Hubbard, conveying scholars,	30 00
"	C. L. Woodworth, for building fires,	2 00
	Mary Bell, for cleaning school house,	2 00
	H. G. Smith, for repairs,	5 25
		$326 25
	NO. 10 SCHOOL.	
June.	Minerva E. Burroughs, for teaching 10 weeks, including board,	$60 00
Nov.	Charlotte M. Connor, for teaching 10 weeks,	35 00
"	Mrs. E. V. Winn, for boarding 10 weeks,	26 00
	Carrie A. Winn, for building fires,	2 00

1896.		
Feb.	Lena M. Smith, for teaching 10 weeks, including board,	$55 00
"	Carrie A. Winn, for building fires,	2 00
"	T. F. Robertson, for 2½ cords wood, fitted,	10 00
	" " kindlings,	75
	" " washing school house,	1 25
	" " cleaning stove pipe and chimney,	50
	" " cleaning privy, repairing roof to shed, and conveying cabinet to No. 3 school house,	2 75
		$195 25

1895. NO. 13 SCHOOL.

June.	Ada D. Hall, for teaching 10 weeks, including board,	$80 00
"	Emma L. Hutchins, teaching 10 weeks including board,	70 00
"	Lena G. Hildreth, cleaning school rooms,	5 00
Nov.	Ada Dell Hall, teaching 10 weeks, including board,	80 00
"	Emma L. Hutchins, teaching 10 weeks, including board,	70 00
"	W. A. Pattridge for conveying scholars 2 terms,	50 00
1896.		
Feb.	Ada D. Hall, teaching 10 weeks, including board,	$80 00
"	Emma L. Hutchins, teaching 10 weeks, including board,	70 00
"	Emma L. Hutchins, janitor for the year,	2 50
	James E. Whittemore, 4 cords wood, fitted and housed,	16 00
"	W. A. Pattridge, conveying scholars,	25 00
"	Wallace T. Phillips, building fires, winter,	1 50
"	J. C. Farwell, sundries,	1 01
	E. A. Hildreth repairs, as per bill,	5 70
		$556 71

Nov.	C. E. Ordway, 2 copies Yaggy's Geographical Portfolios,	$ 75 00
		$631 71
Total amount paid out,		$2,077 03
Remaining in treasury		$122 97

T. N. ROBERTSON,
Treasurer School Board.

Feb. 15th, 1896.

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the treasurer of the school board for the year ending February 15, 1896, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

FREDERICK M. HAMILTON,
Auditor.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

Of the Town of Chesterfield, for the Year Ending February 15, 1896.

RECEIPTS, 1895.

By balance in treasury,	$1,102 86
Sewell F. Rugg, dog license,	124 00
Fred Atherton, county pauper claim,	182 50
People's Bank, money borrowed,	975 00
D. W. Slade, taxes for 1894,	930 44
D. W. Slade, taxes for 1893,	5 93
D. W. Slade, interest on both,	24 54
J. H. Stearns, for license,	20 00
Rodney Fletcher, part payment on sluice,	12 50
W. K. Ware, for license,	10 00
B. Grover, use of common,	1 00
Smith & Goodrich, license,	15 00
Fred Atherton, county pauper claim,	153 79
Fred Atherton, dependent soldiers' aid,	60 66
Interest on West Chesterfield cemetery fund,	36 27
Railroad tax,	35
Savings bank tax,	1,126 76
Literary fund,	144 12
D. W. Slade, taxes for 1893,	3 75
D. W. Slade, taxes for 1894,	48 31
D. W. Slade, interest on the above,	4 57
S. F. Rugg, balance dog license,	21 75
R. T. Cobb, interest on 1895 taxes,	3 68
E. A. Safford, use town hall,	2 00

F. E. Atherton, estate of C. E. Nourse,	$19 02
F. E. Atherton, road money overdrawn,	9 53
F. E. Atherton, tile sold,	1 50
Assessment for 1895,	8,967 93
	$14,004 76

EXPENDITURES.

TOWN PAUPERS.

Calvin Nourse,	$409 86
Ervin Hubbard,	53 50
	$463 36

AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND FAMILIES.

Henry Kingsbury,	$58 00
George Jefts,	52 00
John Breed,	19 87
Otis Safford,	24 10
Hannah Robbins,	14 18
	$168 15

COUNTY PAUPERS.

Reuben Nash,	$109 02
Hannah Crouch,	78 00
James Graves,	13 27
Family of John Denno,	15 99
Family of Rosco Putman,	40 95
George Robbins,	3 34
	$260 57

DEPENDENT SOLDIERS.

Daniel Robbins and family,	$70 93

APPROPRIATIONS.

Appropriations for schools raised by taxation,	$1,852 66
Literary fund,	205 74
Dog licenses,	141 60
	$2,200 00

County tax, paid,	$806 95
State tax, "	$1,580 00
Note to Franklin Savings Bank, with interest,	$1,080 00

TOWN OFFICERS.

Services of selectmen, including team,	$200 00
School board,	117 00
Town clerk,	40 00
Town treasurer,	50 00
Auditor,	3 00
Supervisors,	24 00
Constable,	3 00
Moderator,	2 00
Ballot clerk, 1894,	2 50
D. W. Slade, tax collector, 1894,	75 00
Richard T. Cobb, tax collector, 1895,	50 00
Fred E. Atherton, overseer the poor,	15 00
E. A. Safford, as overseer the poor,	3 00
	$584 50
Miscellaneous items, (see treasurer's report)	$4,923 58
Discount on taxes,	431 17
Due on tax book, 1895,	848 07
Cash in treasury,	555 48
	$14,004 76

ABATEMENTS ON 1893 TAX BOOK.

Sarah E. Hammond,	$ 53
Henry Hammond,	1 50
George LaPoint,	1 92
David Morgan,	1 50

ABATEMENT ON 1894 TAX BOOK.

David Barrett,	$1 50
Frank Gleason,	1 50
Elijah Lowe,	60
George LaPoint,	1 50

Henry Randall,		$1 50
Otis Safford,		6 90
Freeman Stevens,		2 10
James J. Tompkins,		1 50
William Webb,		1 50
Julia Sanders, discount,		45
George Vose,	over tax,	1 50
Roswell Butte,	" "	1 50
Herbert Darling,	" "	1 50
Harry E. Plympton,	" "	1 50
Edwin W. Smith,	" "	1 50

1895 TAX BOOK.

Joseph Hubbard, over tax,	$1 45
	$33 45
Money received for dog licenses,	$145 75

STATE OF THE TREASURY FEB. 15, 1896.

LIABILITIES.

Dog license, due schools,	$ 145 75
Literary fund, due schools,	141 12
Town note at Greenfield Savings Bank,	1,000 00
Interest to February 1, 1896,	5 00
	$1,291 87

ASSETS.

Tax book for 1895,	66.17 ~~$848 07~~
Due from county,	58 96
Cash in hands of A. F. Cobb, road agent,	14 21
Cash in treasury,	555 48
	$1,476 72
Assets above liabilities,	202.95 ~~$784 85~~

CORRECTIONS IN THE REPORT.—Miscellaneous items on page 16, should be $4,955.58, instead of $4,913.58. Also the amount on tax-book for 1895 in assets, should be $866.17, instead of $848.07, making the total $1,494.82. Assets above liabilities, $202.95.

ESTIMATED EXPENSES FOR 1896-7.

State tax,	$1,580 00
County tax,	825 00
Schools,	2,000 00
Town charges,	1.000 00
Town paupers,	500 00
	$5,905 00

Respectfully submitted,

SEM L. STOWELL,
ELLON A. SAFFORD,
FRED E. ATHERTON,
Selectmen.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES

Chesterfield West Cemetery Association.

Relating to the trust fund held by the town, for the year ending February 15, 1896.

RECEIPTS.

Unexpended balance of last year's interest,	$36 61
Interest on $1200.00 of trust fund due Oct. 1st, 1896,	36 27
	$72 88

EXPENSES.

Paid Robbins & Cowels, sickles and grass shears,	$1 20
W. W. Farr, 5 gal. paint, $1.25 per gal.	6 25
H. W. Moore, 50 bush. ashes, 30c. per bush.	15 00
M. M. Smith, paint brushes,	1 60
" " 5 qts. oil,	85
" " 1 pt. turpentine,	08
George F. Burnham, 54 hours labor, at 15c.,	8 10
C. H. Chickering, labor with team,	2 00
C. E. Snow, labor in cemetery,	7 80
A. M. Brown, " "	8 22
A. M. Brown, freight on paint,	25
J. L. Streeter, 3 1-2 hours labor,	52
S. L. Stowell, 56 "	8 40
Ranson C. Farr, 6 1-2 "	98
Ira. D. Farr, 4 "	60
	$61 85
Unexpended balance.	$11 03

SEM L. STOWELL,
CLARENCE E. SNOW,
IRA D. FARR,
Trustees.

REPORT OF

ROAD AGENTS OF CHESTERFIELD

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1896.

Appropriation at March meeting,	$1800 00
Cash in hands of A. T. Cobb, road agent,	56 84
	$1,856 84

Owing to the heavy rains in the spring, this sum was not sufficient for keeping the roads in repair. There has been expended, $2,455.69

EXPENDITURES.

E. H. Cobleigh, money drawn for treasurer,	$1,067 53
Of this sum there has been expended in repairing the washout and building a bank wall on the river-road at Mr. Mathews,	450 00
Expended for labor and material on other highways,	564 28
Services as road agent,	53 25
	$1,067 53

A. T. Cobb, balance on hand Feb. 15, 1895,	$ 56 84
" " money drawn from treasurer,	575 00
	$631 84

Money expended for labor and material,	$563 52
Services as road agent,	54 11
Unexpended balance on hand,	14 21
	$631 84

Charles Hewett, money drawn from treasurer,	$770 53
Money expended for labor and material,	663 22
Services as road agent,	107 31
Total amount of expenditures,	$2,241 02
Services of road agents,	214 67
	$2,455 69

Appropriation for building new road at Factory village, and paying land damage,	$400 00
Received of Rodney Fletcher, building sluice in road, also stone and material for filling and grading road,	12 50
	$412 50

EXPENDITURES.

Rodney Fletcher, land damage,	$200 00
James Stearns, land damage,	50 00
Labor and material building road,	102 92
Services of road agent,	40 50
	$393 42

EXPENSES OF IRON BRIDGE AT FACTORY.

Paid freight on bridge to Keene,	$ 7 25
Painting balance bridge.	1 00
Paid Berlin Iron Bridge Co. for bridge, less freight and painting,	131 75
Iron work and grading road,	46 70
H. Kilburn, freight on brick from Keene.	4 85
Services, road agent,	11 36
	$202 91

E. H. COBLEIGH'S Report, Road Agent.

Cash received from town,	$1,067 53
Cash paid out,	1,067 53

MARCH, 1895.

A. F. Thomas, breaking roads,	$4 00
A. Stoddard, " "	4 65
Henry Davis, " " 20 hours,	3 00
Leroy Colburn, " " 10 "	1 50
F. Springer, " " 12½ "	1 87
Myron Davis, " "	3 00
E. H. Cobleigh, " " 50 "	7 50
Lorenzo Amidon, " " 3½ "	53
	$26 05

APRIL.

E. H. Cobleigh, 372 hours,	$55 80
Geo. Ware, 73 "	10 95
James Ford, 25 "	3 75
H. G. Smith, 45 "	6 75
E. Davenport, 40 "	6 00
F. Sanford, 17 "	2 40
Frank Day, 28 "	4 20
Norman Farr, 18 "	2 70
H. D. Smith, 1123 feet hemlock lumber.	11 23
John Hildreth, 36 hours,	5 40
N. G. Colburn, 50 "	7 50
E. H. Cobleigh, express agent,	4 50
	$121 18

MAY.

C. P. Gilson, 298 hours scraping, 2 teams 2 men.	$52 05
E. H. Cobleigh, 152 hours, team and man to tend scraper,	28 60
E. Davenport, 180 hours,	27 00
George Ware, 81 "	12 15
E. H. Cobleigh, 105 "	15 75
G. F. Burnham, 30 "	4 50
H. G. Smith, 80 "	12 00
E. H. Cobleigh, services agent,	8 25
	$160 30

JUNE.

N. G. Colburn, 60 hours, man and team,	$ 9 00
Fred Harris, 30 " " "	4 50
C. P. Gilson, 40 " " "	6 00
H. G. Smith, 45 " " "	6 75
Geo. Ware, 107 1-2 " " "	16 12
Frank Day, 15 " " "	2 25
Edgar Davenport, 272 hours,	40 80
H. O. Matthews, 99 "	14 85
H. O. Matthews, to 10 hours,	1 20
F. Springer, 12 days laying stone,	28 32
E. H. Cobleigh, 292 hours, man and team,	43 80
E. H. Cobleigh, 172 hours,	25 80
William Holman, 722 feet plank,	12 27
E. H. Cobleigh, services agent,	12 75
Hoit Stearns, 54½ hours,	8 17
Alba Farr, 44 hours,	6 60
	$239 18

JULY.

F. Springer, 5 days laying stone,	$11 80
H. Matthews, 50 hours,	7 50
E. Davenport, 70 "	10 50
Geo. Ware, 50 "	7 50
E. H. Cobleigh, 63 hours,	9 45
" " 130 hours, man and team,	19 50
" " services agent,	4 50
	$70 75

AUGUST.

F. Springer, 17 days laying stone,	$40 12
" " laying over sluice,	3 86
" " ½ day leveling,	75
H. Matthews, 165 hours,	24 75
" " for stone,	20 00
Edgar Davenport, 195 hours,	29 25
Geo. Ware, 168 hours,	25 20
E. H. Cobleigh, 376 hours, man and team,	56 40
" " 178 " " "	26 70
Howe & Rice, 50 " " "	7 50
Fred Harris, 134 " " "	20 10

Mellen & Proctor, tile, powder, dynamite and fuse,	$13 59
A. M. Davis, work on scraper,	2 25
M. M. Smith, 10 lbs. powder,	1 50
C. E. Andrews, work on scraper.	50
E. H. Cobleigh, services agent,	12 75
	$285 22

SEPTEMBER.

Geo. Ware, 65 hours,	$ 9 75
N. G. Colburn, 23 hours,	3 45
E. H. Cobleigh, 208 hours, man and team,	31 20
" " 105 " " "	15 75
Edgar Davenport, 80 " " "	12 00
Fred Harris, 80 " " "	12 00
Frank Day. 20 " " "	3 00
E. H. Cobleigh, services agent,	7 50
	$94 65

OCTOBER.

Ashbel Stoddard, 115 hours,	$17 25
F. Springer, 10 "	1 75
H. H. Tenney, 43 "	6 45
H. G. Smith, 11 "	1 65
George Ware, 10 "	1 50
" " 14 "	2 10
Olin Farr, bridge plank,	5 30
E. H. Cobleigh, 70 hours, man and team,	10 50
" " posts and stringers for bridge and logs for sluice,	6 00
E. H. Cobleigh, services agent,	3 00
	55 50

DECEMBER.

Edgar Davenport, 27 hours,	$4 05
E. H. Cobleigh, 36 hours, man and team,	5 40
" " 35 " " "	5 25
	$14 70

A. T. COBB'S Report, Road Agent.

Cash on hand February 15, 1895.	$56 84
Cash received from town,	575 00
	$631 84
Expended,	617 63
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1896,	$14 21

EXPENDITURES.

MARCH AND APRIL.

Knowlton & Stone,	$8 96
C. G. Hill, repairing tools,	65
C. L. Morrison, breaking roads,	2 10
E. A. Safford, " "	45
James Naylor, " "	50
	$12 66

MAY.

R. C. Goodrich, breaking road in March,	$ 60
B. Porter, 101½ hours.	15 23
C. Porter, 90 "	13 50
L. A. Howe, 101½ "	15 23
E. G. Colburn, 40 "	6 00
J. A. Bartlett, 214½ "	32 18
D. Royce, 101½ "	15 23
B. C. Thatcher, 119 "	41 65
L. A. Howe, 20 "	3 00
J. L. Bartlett, 120 "	18 00
W. H. Puffer, 119 "	41 65
Geo. Spaulding, 20 "	3 00
D. Royce, 20 "	3 00
C. H. Canady, 3 "	30
W. B. Brown, 239 " at 15 and 119½ at 20,	39 75
A. T. Cobb, 183½ " at 22½, team 132½ hours, at 20, horse 36 hours, a 10.	109 38
	$377 70

JUNE.

Herbert Spaulding,		$ 1 57
Knowlton & Stone,		18 68
Wm. Holman,		21 88
Cartridges,		63
C. G. Hill, blacksmith,		3 95
Julia Bartlett,	145 hours,	21 75
W. B. Brown,	135 "	20 25
A. T. Cobb,	11 "	2 48
A. T. Cobb, team	170 "	21 40
		$112 59

JULY.

J. E. Bartlett,	93 hours,	$13 95
W. B. Brown,	63 "	9 45
A. T. Cobb, team,	33 "	6 60
A. T. Cobb,	8 "	1 80
		$31 80

AUGUST.

J. E. Bartlett,	17½ hours,	$2 63
W. B. Brown,	167 "	25 05
A. T. Cobb, team,	37 "	7 40
A. T. Cobb,	16 "	3 60
D. L. Cobb,	10 "	1 50
C. E. Snow, breaking in February,		1 50
Knowlton & Stone,		2 90
Walter Bartlett,		3 00
		$47 58

SEPTEMBER.

William Holman,		$8 95
A. T. Cobb,	15 hours,	1 50
Larkin Amidon,	20 "	3 00
W. B. Brown,	30 "	4 50
		$17 95

OCTOBER.

W. B. Brown,	8	hours,	$1 20
A. T. Cobb,	8	"	1 80
			$3 00

JANUARY, 1896.

W. Brown,	38	hours,	$5 70
A. T. Cobb,	10	"	2 25
A. F. Cobb, horse,	4	"	40
			$8 35

FEBRUARY.

S. L. Howe,	5	hours,	$ 75
J. E. Bartlett,	13	"	1 95
Oscar Gould,	5	"	75
A. T. Cobb,	4	"	90
G. Marlboro,	17	"	1 65
			$6 00

CHAS. A. HEWETT'S Report, Road Agent.

FEBRUARY.

James Whitemore, breaking roads,	$5 15
H. B. Streeter,	40
A. Whitemore,	75
E. Brown,	2 10
W. W. Hinds,	4 20
H. P. Howe,	2 20
C. A. Hewett,	2 00
Wm. Pierce,	40
J. Joslin,	40
	$17 60

APRIL.

A. Boucher,	190	hours,	$28 50
J. W. Scott	131½	"	19 73
W. F. Hewett,	130	"	19 50
C. Pierce,	123½	"	18 53

C. Scott,	52	hours,		$7 80
L. Torey,	20	"		3 00
C. A. Hewett,	178	"	ox team,	35 60
Wm. Pierce,	20	"	team,	7 00
F. O. Farr,	100	"	ox team and man,	33 00
L. Wilson,	26½	"	with team,	5 30
Geo. Davis,	60	"	ox team,	22 50
C. A. Hewett,	183	"	(road agent,)	41 17
				$241 63

MAY.

A. Boucher,	170	hours,		$25 50
J. W. Scott,	40	"		6 00
C. Jones,	10	"		1 50
W. P. Hewett,	60	"		9 00
F. O. Farr,	70	"		10 50
C. Scott,	160	"		24 00
L. Wilson,	40	"		6 00
F. Field,	80	"		12 00
W. Pattridge,	7	"		1 00
C. Pierce,	150	"		22 50
H. Pierce,	80	"		12 00
H. Darling,	20	"		3 00
C. A Hewett,	160	"	ox team,	32 00
F. O. Farr,	130	"	"	26 00
G. Davis,	130	"	"	48 75
G. Davis,	20	"	"	7 00
D. Holman, housing scraper,				2 00
H. Kilburn, freight on drain tile,				8 53
Knowlton & Stone, tile,				69 06
C. A. Hewett, road agent,				38 25
				$354 59

JUNE.

F. Field,	105	hours,		$15 75
C. Scott,	60	"		9 00
A. Hewett,	20	"		3 00
C. Jones,	30	"		4 50

L. Burt, 10 hours,	$1 50
L. Wilson, 26¾ "	4 00
C. A. Hewett, 61 " ox team, 20,	12 20
T. Humphry, 50 " team, 35,	10 50
Cash paid E. Burt, blacksmith,	35
Wm. Holman, 922 ft. plank,	15 67
Explosives,	2 00
C. A. Hewett, road agent, 64 hours,	14 40
	$92 87

AUGUST.

C. Davenport, 15 hours,	$1 87
L. Burt, 15 "	1 87
C. Jones, 5 "	75
A. Hewett, 15 "	1 88
C. A. Hewett, 16 " ox team,	3 20
C. A. Hewett, 15 " agent,	3 38
	$12 96

SEPTEMBER.

C. Davenport, 17 hours,	$2 55
A. Hewett, 30 "	4 50
A. E. Brown, 25 "	3 75
C. Scott, 17 "	2 55
C. A. Hewett, 10 " ox team,	2 00
C. A. Hewett, bridge timber,	1 00
C. A. Hewett, 15 hours, road agent,	3 37
	$19 72

DECEMBER.

A. E. Brown, 29 hours,	$4 35
A. Hewett, 17 "	2 55
C. A. Hewett, 19 " ox team,	3 80
C. A. Hewett, 30 " road agent,	6 74
Amos E. Brown, 28 "	4 20
D. Plympton, 2 1-2 "	37
A. Hewett, 2 1-2 " with team,	62
H. Kilburn, freight,	8 53
	$31 16

EXPENDED ON NEW ROAD.

A. Hewett,	117 hours,		$21 25
C. Davenport,	185 "		23 12
C. Jones,	90 "		11 25
J. Butler,	20 "		5 00
J. Joslin,	5 "	two teams, one man,	3 00
C. A. Hewett,	180 "	ox team,	36 00
C. A. Hewett, cartridges,			30
C. A. Hewett, posts and railing,			3 00
C. A. Hewett, 180 hours, road agent,			40 50
			$143 42

EXPENDED ON NEW IRON BRIDGE AND ROAD.

A. Hewett,	40 1-2 hours,		$5 06
L. Burt,	30 "		3 75
J. Butler,	10 "		2 50
C. Davenport,	26 1-2 "		3 32
C. A. Hewett,	47 1-2 "	ox team,	9 50
C. A. Hewett, 750 feet plank,			8 25
F. Fuller, painting bridge,			1 00
Wm. Holman, 666 feet plank,			13 32
C. A. Hewett, 50 1-2 hours, road agent,			11 36
			$58 06

Respectfully submitted,

ERASTUS H. COBLEIGH,
A. T. COBB,
C. A. HULETT,
Road Agents.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Mar. 1.	Balance in treasury,	$1,102 86
May 28.	Sewell F. Rugg, dog licenses,	124 00
" 29.	People's Bank, money borrowed,	975 00
June 1.	Fred Atherton, pauper claim,	182 50
"	D. W. Slade, taxes 1894,	930 44
"	" " " 1893,	5 93
"	" " interest on both,	24 54
July 6.	Richard T. Cobb, taxes 1895,	220 00
" 20.	" " " "	300 00
Sept. 7.	" " " "	590 00
Oct. 8.	" " " "	4,696 57
"	J. H. Stearns, license,	20 00
"	Rodney Fletcher, part payment on sluice,	12 50
" 19.	W. K. Ware, license,	10 00
"	B. Grover, use common,	1 00
Nov. 4.	Smith & Goodrich, license,	15 00
" 9.	Fred Atherton, county pauper claim,	153 79
"	" " dependent soldiers' aid,	60 66
" 11.	Interest on cemetery fund,	36 27
Dec. 7.	R. T. Cobb, taxes,	1,435 00
" 16.	Railroad tax,	35
"	Savings bank tax,	1,126 76
"	Literary fund,	141 12
1896.		
Feb. 10.	D. W. Slade, taxes for 1893,	3 75
"	" " " 1894,	48 31
"	" " interest on the above,	4 57
" 12.	S. F. Rugg, balance dog licenses,	21 75
"	R. T. Cobb, taxes for 1895,	429 02
"	" " interest on 1895,	3 68
" 13.	E. A. Safford, use of town hall,	2 00
" 14.	Fred E. Atherton, estate of C. E. Nurse,	19 02
"	" " road money over-drawn,	9 53
"	" " tile sold,	1 50
Total received,		$12,707 42

EXPENDITURES.

1895.			
Feb.	23.	E. H. Cobleigh, road money,	$31 33
"	24.	Robert Goodrich, wood for O. Safford, D. S.,	9 00
			$40 33
Mar.	7.	G. C. Hill, med. aid to H. Kingsbury, D. S.,	$ 7 50
"		J. A. Craig, " " "	40 50
"	8.	Squire Amidon, care cemetery,	2 50
"	11.	W. H. Spalter, books, etc.,	14 02
"	20.	Geo. E. Greene, medicine, O. Safford, D. S.,	4 60
"		L. W. Crowninshield, breaking road in '92,	3 00
"	25.	Edw. E. Babb, & Co., school supplies,	8 17
"	26.	Charles A. Hewett, labor as road agent,	25 00
"	30.	C. P. Spencer, orders,	1 75
			$107 04
Apr.	1.	Edw. E. Babb & Co., school supplies,	$85 46
"	8.	Herbert Darling, care C. Nurse,	14 00
"	13.	Mrs. Mack, care Mrs. Putnam,	1 00
"	15.	Walter G. Barrett, aid to Putnam family,	6 00
"	20.	Charles A. Hewett, labor as road agent,	100 00
"	29.	Hosea B. Streeter, aid and care C. Nurse,	37 50
			$243 96
May	1.	Carrie Barrett, care Mrs. Putnam,	$ 16 00
"	4.	E. H. Cobleigh, labor as road agent,	133 90
"	15.	Charles A. Hewett, road expenses, April,	93 06
"		" " services as road agent,	41 17
"		" " road money for May,	200 00
"	16.	A. T. Cobb, labor on road,	300 00
"	17.	Mrs. Mary Grover, care Mrs. Putnam,	1 00
			$785 13
June	1.	Sentinel Printing Co., reports,	$52 00
"		W. H. Spalter, town books,	4 25
"		Jas. C. Farwell, goods for John Breed, D. S.,	19 87
"		Sarah Draper, support Hannah Crouch,	36 00

June	1.	John Shaw, care and provisions for Jas. Graves,	$5 27
"		Fred Holman, work on road,	5 00
"		Jas. C. Farwell, goods for C. Nurse,	9 17
"		Wm. Nash, support Reuben Nash,	36 00
"		Ira A. Shaw, use water,	2 00
"		Herbert Darling, care C. E. Nurse,	28 00
"		David W. Slade, services as tax collector,	75 00
"		Herbert Darling, care C. E. Nurse,	62 00
"	3.	H. B. Streeter, care, etc., C. Nurse,	63 75
"	4.	E. H. Cobleigh, labor on road,	175 05
"	8.	Charles A. Hewett, labor on road,	116 34
"		" " services as road agent,	38 20
"	18.	T. N. Robertson, school expenses,	750 00
"	21.	Charles A. Hewett, road money,	75 00
"	22.	A. T. Cobb, road money,	200 00
"	27.	Wm. M. Brown, driving hearse,	10 00
			$1.762 95

July	1.	Hosea B. Streeter, care, etc., for C. Nurse,	$50 40
"		Warren & Farmer, goods for Grover, D. S.,	4 12
"		" " " Putnams,	3 90
"		" " " Jefts, D. S.,	17 00
"	3.	E. H. Cobleigh, labor on road,	223 36
"	4.	Geo. Crowninshield, interest on M. E. note,	12 50
"	5.	Franklin Savings Institution, interest on note,	40 00
			$351 28

Aug.	5.	Hosea B. Streeter, milk, washing and care, C. Nurse,	$64 55
"	9.	H. Kilburn, freighting iron bridge from Keene,	4 85
"		" paid Boston & Maine R. R. on same,	7 25
"	12.	Frank G. Dort, medicine for Robbins, D. S.,	5 25
"	17.	C. A. Hewett, labor and material, iron bridge,	47 25
"		" " services as road agent in June,	14 40
"		" " " " on bridge,	11 36

Aug. 17.	C. A. Hewett, labor on road in August,	$12	96
"	" " bal. due on June expenses,	3	47
" 24.	Horace Lincoln, wood for C. Nurse,	3	50
" 26.	H. Spaulding, bringing Nurse's coffin,		50
"	Woodbury & Howard, coffin for C. Nurse,	10	00
" 30.	Lyman Howe, mowing and clearing two cemeteries,	4	50
		$189	84
Sept. 5.	Berlin Iron Bridge Co., bridge,	$131	75
"	Adaline H. Slade, use water,	2	00
" 6.	E. H. Cobleigh, labor and material on road,	355	97
" 10.	Hosea B. Streeter, care, washing, milk, digging grave, etc., for Nurse,	56	00
" 12.	L. W. Slade, use water,	2	00
" 14.	J. H. Stearns, land damage,	50	00
" 28.	C. A. Hewett, services as road agent,	40	50
"	" " labor and expenses on new road,	102	92
" 30.	Rodney Fletcher, land damage,	200	00
"	" " two mouths int. on same,	2	00
		$943	14
Oct. 2.	Wm. Scott, bounty on one hawk,	$	25
" 3.	Edward Scott, " "		25
" 7.	County tax,	806	95
" 8.	Ellon A. Safford, aid to R. Putnam, as overseer poor,	3	00
"	Ellon A. Safford, paid for provisions for Putnam family,	2	05
"	J. C. Farwell, goods for D. Robbins, D. S.,	16	19
"	R. T. Cobb, services as Justice of Peace, for making out affidavit for James Graves and D. Robbins, D. S.,	1	00
"	J. C. Farwell, goods for C. Nurse,	2	49
" 9.	Fred Atherton, services for C. Nurse, overseer of poor,	5	00

Oct.	10.	E. H. Cobleigh, labor on road in Sept.,	$94 20
"	14,	W. M. Brown, driving hearse,	5 00
"	15,	R. T. Cobb, meal for D. Robbins, D. S.,	1 27
"	15.	Sarah M. Draper, support of Hannah Crouch,	42 00
"	18.	Elbridge Hubbard, support of Erwin Hubbard,	27 50
"	24.	Geo. Crowinshield, M. E. note,	500 00
"		" " int. on M. E. note,	6 25
"	29.	T. N. Robertson, surveying lake road,	1 50
"	30.	Silver, Burdettee & Co. spelling blanks,	2 10
"	31.	People's Nat. Bank,, note and interest on same, borrowed in May,	1,000 00
			$2,517 00
Nov.	3.	Chas. Spaulding, police service on White's boat,	$3 00
"	9.	F. G. Dort, medicine for D. Robbins, D. S.,	5 25
"		J. C. Farwell, goods for R. Nash,	42 00
"		Goodnow & Whitcomb, cash for D. Robbins, D. S.,	10 00
"		Geo. Tuttle, meat etc., for D. Robbins, D. S.,	4 13
"		Fred Atherton, services as overseer of poor,	5 00
"	11.	Sem Stowell, int. on cemetery fund,	36 27
"		Horace P. Scott, care of C. Nurse, Dec. '94,	6 00
"	13.	Darling & Co., 1000 vouchers,	1 50
"		T. N. Robertson, school money,	750 00
"		C. N. Smith, services at Nurse's funeral,	2 00
"	16.	Frank J. Wheeler, repairing cemetery wall and gate on Atherton hill,	3 62
"	22.	Warren & Farmer, goods for G. Jefts, D. S.,	20 00
"		J. A. Craig, medical aid to Mrs. Putnam,	11 00
"	26.	A. T. Cobb, road money,	75 00
			$974 77
Dec.	10.	E. H. Cobleigh, labor and material on road,	$54 90
"	16.	John L. Streeter, services as supervisor,	8 00
"	20.	Solon A. Carter, State tax,	1,580 00
			$1,642 90

1896.

Jan.	1.	Franklin Savings Inst., note and interest,	$1,020 00
"	7.	" " interest on note,	20 00
"	13.	Elbridge Hubbard, support Ervin Hubbard,	26 00
"	14.	Mellen & Proctor, mdse.,	2 35
"		Batchelder & Faulkner, retainers and services at April and October courts,	59 50
"	21.	B. C. Thatcher, books in '94,	2 29
"	22.	W. M. Brown, driving hearse,	6 25
			$1,136 39
Feb	1.	T. N. Robertson, balance school money,	$660 12
"	7.	Dennis Jefts, wood for O. Safford, D. S.,	10 50
"	11.	James Naylor, use water,	2 00
"	12.	Alonzo Wilson, butter for D. Robbins,	50
"		" " " "	2 75
"		R. T. Cobb, meal for Geo. Robbins .88 and as Justice of Peace, taking affidavit of Josie Denno,	1 13
"		F. B. Pierce & Co., wood for J. Denno,	2 67
"		Warren & Farmer, goods for Geo. Jefts, D. S.,	15 00
"		Fred J. Farwell, bounty on one hawk,	25
"		John Corkery, alcohol for Robbins, D. S,	70
"		Wm. Pierce, labor on cemetery wall,	2 64
"		J. H. Ford, use water,	3 00
"		Geo. A. Tuttle, meat for Mrs. Robbins, D. S.,	3 51
"		H. B. Streeter, mowing old cemetery,	1 50
"		" " digging grave, etc., for Nash,	4 00
"		Nichols & Wardwell, goods for Denno's family,	9 79
"		Charles A. Hewett, services as road agent,	3 37
"		" " road money, supt.,	16 35
"		" " "	13 72
"		" " " December,	10 70
"		" " services as road agent, Dec.,	6 74
"		James C. Farwell, mdse. for Robbins, D. S.,	7 90
"		" " supplies for Geo. Robbins,	2 21
"		" " goods for R. Nash and H. Robbins,	13 37

Feb. 12.	Jas. C. Farwell, goods for Hannah Robbins, D.S.	$7	22
"	S. F. Rugg, services as town clerk,	40	00
"	E. H. Cobleigh, labor on road,	30	15
"	John B. Fisk, use water,	3	00
" 14.	Goodnow & Whitcomb, coffin for R. Nash,	10	00
"	J. C. Hubbard, over tax for 1895,	1	45
"	Hannah Robbins, care R. Nash,	5	00
"	Mrs. Warren Chase, milk for H. Robbins, D. S.,		35
"	Elice D. Royce, lb. butter for Robbins, D. S.,		25
"	" " bounty on one hawk,		25
"	Fred E. Atherton, overseer of poor,	5	00
" 15.	John F. Butler, med. aid Reuben Nash,	1	50
"	" " chairman of school committee,	44	20
"	" " med. aid to Jas. E. Graves,	7	50
"	" " " D. Robbins, D. S.,	21	75
"	W. R. Ware, services as ballot clerk,	2	50
"	Hermon C. Harvey, services as treasurer,	50	00
"	Richard T. Cobb, " tax collector,	50	00
"	Geo. A. Tuttle, beef and pork for Denno,	3	53
"	Fred E. Atherton, as selectman,	50	00
"	A. T. Cobb, keeping transient,	10	00
"	" " as supervisor,	8	00
"	John F. Butler, recording births and deaths,	3	73
"	Woodbury & Howard, coffin for Kingsbury, D.S.	10	00
"	T. N. Robertson, services on school board as treasurer, and expenses of stationery, postage and express,	42	59
"	H. G. Smith, services as member school board,	37	00
"	Sem L. Stowell, as 1st selectman,	100	00
"	" " inventory book, stationery and postage,	2	32
"	E. A. Safford, services as selectman,	50	00
"	" " care of town hall and expenditures,	2	50
"	Merrick Chandler, as supervisor,	8	00
"	F. M. Hamilton, as auditor,	3	00
"	" " moderator,	2	00

Feb. 15.	F. M. Hamilton, library appropriation,	$25 00
" " "	services as librarian, and his assistants,	25 00
		$1,457 21
Total received,		$12,707 42
Total expended,		$12,151 94
Bal. in treasury.		$555 48

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the selectmen, treasurer and highway agents for the year ending February 15, 1896, also the orders and payments named therein, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

FREDERICK M. HAMILTON,
Auditor.

Respectfully submitted,
HERMON C. HARVEY,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES AND LIBRARIAN

CHESTERFIELD TOWN LIBRARY.

For the Year Ending Feb. 15, 1896.

RECEIPTS.

Balance in the hands of librarian,	$16 94
Received from the town,	50 00
Fines collected,	1 52
	$68 46

EXPENDITURES.

Printing library cards,	$ 2 50
For new books,	24 85
F. M. Hamilton, services as librarian,	2 00
Mrs. Jennie Rice, assistant librarian,	12 00
Mrs. Ellon Safford, " "	6 50
Mrs. James Ford, " "	6 50
Unexpended in the hands of librarian,	14 11
	$68 46

Number of books in library,	609
Number of books loaned during the year,	2,366
Books loaned at Chesterfield Factory,	1,123
" " Chesterfield Center,	650
" " West Chesterfield,	593

Books have been given by the following—

Mrs. O. E. Randall,	2	vol.
Hon. D. B. Harris,	2	"
Rollins S. Childs,	1	"
State of N. H.,	4	"
Miss Ellen Shumway,	4	"
Miss Helen H. Fletcher,	13	"
Mr. Henry O. Clark,	9	"
Mrs. H. B. Swan,	5	"
Ladies Industry,	5	"
Bought by the town,	106	"

Number added to the library during the year, 141 volumes.

Increase of books loaned over 1895 report, 215.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK M. HAMILTON,
Librarian.

FREDERICK M. HAMILTON,
JOHN F. BUTLER,
TIMOTHY N. ROBERTSON,
Trustees.

MRS. HENRY RICE,
MRS. ELLON A. SAFFORD,
MRS. JAMES W. FORD,
Assisting Librarians.

To the Selectmen — In compliance with an act of the legislature passed June session, 1887, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF CHESTERFIELD, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1895.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.					Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Parents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of child 1st, 2d, etc.	Color.									
		M		S	1	W	Geo. L. Phetiplace.	Lizzie J. Holt.	W	Chest. Factory.	Marketman.	Fiskdale, Mass.	Chest. Factory.	35	25
Feb. 17	Blanche Mabel.		F	L	1	"	Burt Porter.	Mary Ellen Bennett.	"	Chesterfield.	Laborer.	Coleraine. "	Brattleboro,Vt.	21	18
May 20	Arthur R.	M		"	4	"	Walter F. Pierce.	Edith L. Rugg.	"	" "	Farmer.	Morrisiana, NY	Keene.	35	31
" 22		M		"	7	"	Joseph La Point.	Celina Bruso.	"	Chest. Factory.	Laborer.	East Dorset, Vt.	No. Dorset, Vt.	34	31
July 24			F	"	1	"	Frank Emery.	Florence Humphrey.	"	" "	Butcher.				21
Aug. 7			F	"	2	"	Ansel J. Pierce.	Irene D. Davis.	"	" "	Shop Hand.	Chest. Factory.	Chesterfield.	29	27
" 18		M		"	3	"	Wm. F. Howett.	Dollie M. Comstock.	"	" "	Farmer.	" "	Walpole.	28	19
Sept. 6		M		"	6	"	Adolph Boucher.	Armene Embo.	"	" "	Laborer.	Quebec, Can.	Montreal, Can.	35	32
Oct. 7			F	"	6	"	Chester M. McClening	Emogene E. Brown.	"	" "	Farmer.	Chesterfield.	Chesterfield.	41	35
" 8			F	"	1	"	Wm. R. Tuttle.	Jessie E. Buffum.	"	" "	"	"	Richmond.	25	25
" 18	Mildred.		F	"	2	"	Lee Henry Burt.	Nettie E. Plympton.	"	" "	Teamster.	Westmoreland.	Chesterfield.	25	20

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF CHESTERFIELD, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1895.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Color of Each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Condition.*	Name, residence and official station of person by whom married.
Jan. 3	Westmo'land	George O. Cobleigh	W. Chesterfield	25	W	Farmer.	Chesterfield.	Erastus H. Cobleigh. Chloe A. Willis.	Chesterfield. Winchester.	1st	Rev. J. L. Scoboria,
		Minnie B. Rich's'n.	Westmoreland.	21	"	Housework.	Turner's F'lls Mass.	Alonzo P. Richardson Emoretta O. Stowell.	Calais, Me. Windham, Vt.	1st	Westmoreland.
Mar. 14	Chesterfield.	Austin O. Foster.	Chest. Faetory.	22	"	Artist and Mechanic.	Chesterfield.	Reuben B. Foster. Julia A. Stoddard.	Chesterfield. "	1st	Rev. Chas. N. Sinnett
		E. Maude Patridge.	" "	22	"	Housework.	Grass Valley, California.	Winslow A. Patridge. Georgina J. Woodfi'd.	" Providence, R. I	1st	Chesterfield.
May. 11	Winchester.	Jas. Fred Farwell.	Chest. Factory.	29	"	Merchant.	Chest. Fact'y.	James C. Farwell. Sarah G. Gay.	Chesterfield. Connecticut.	1st	Rev. J. H. Grow,
		Emma F. Pickering	Winchester.	29	"	Teacher and Post Mistress	Winchester.	Frederick Pickering. Maria A. Fosgate.	Winchester. "	1st	Winchester.
Aug. 3	Chesterfield.	Guy L. Pieree.	Chesterfield.	17	"	Farmer	Chesterfield.	Frank A. Pierce. Persis Prentice.	Chesterfield. "	1st	Rev. Gilman H. Clark,
		Carrie E. Hills.	"	17	"	Housework.	Marlboro, Vt.	Chas. F. Hills. Hattie L. Warner.	Vermont. Massachusetts.	1st	Chesterfield.
Nov. 20	Chesterfield.	Olin M. Snow.	"	21	"	Mechanic,	Marlboro, Vt.	Clarence E. Snow. Ada M. Brown.	Marlboro, Vt. " "	1st	Rev. Chas. N. Sinnett
		Etta L. Hills.	"	16	"	Housework.	Carollton, Vt.	Chas. F. Hills. Hattie L. Warner.	Vermont. Massachusetts.	1st	Chesterfield.

*Whether single or widowed. What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF CHESTERFIELD FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1895.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex & Condition.				Occupation.	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.		Male.	Female.	Color.	S., M., W.*		Father.	Mother.		
Jan. 2	Fred'k O. Stoddard.	49		11	Chesterfield.	M		W	M	Farmer.	Chesterfield.	Chesterfield.	H. L. Stoddard.	Elizab. A. Davis.
" 4	George W. Barrett.	71	1	21	"	"		"	M	"	"	Hinsdale.	John H. Barrett.	Charl'tte Thomas
Feb. 14	Harriett M. Hinds.	66	9	25	"		F	"	W	Housekeeping.	"	Chesterfield.	Elisha Hill.	Harriet Taylor.
April 15	Frank A Wheeler.	27	3	10	"	M		"	M	Farmer.	"		Watson Wheeler.	Sophia S Smith.
" 24	Diana Blodgett.	77	3	21			F	"	W	Housekeeping.	Smithfield, R.I.		George Pierce.	Sophronia Mann.
" 27	George H. Cobb.		14		Chesterfield.	M		"	S			Chesterfield.	Samuel Cobb.	Luna B.Hubbard
" 28	Sam'l Chamberlain	81	10		"	"		"	M	Farmer,	Chesterfield.	"	S. Chamberlain.	Damaris Wilder.
May 6	Ethel G. Wheeler.	2	8	27	Chest. Factory.		F	"	S		"	Swanzey.	Elias E. Wheeler.	I. Etta Beals.
June 9	Otis H. Scott.	69	26		Chesterfield.	M		"	M	Mechanic.	Westmoreland.		Rodolphus Scott.	Lydia Hanen.
" 25	Hayden F. Randall	2	5	13	W. Chesterfield	"		"	S		W. Chesterfield.	Walpole.	Fred R. Randall.	Alice C. Kathan.
July 5	James M. Aldrich.	74	6	22	Lebanon.	"		"	M	Mechanic.				Mary Marden.
Aug. 26	Calvin E. Nurse.	70	5	6	Keene.	"		"	S	Painter.			Benjamin Nurse.	
" 26	Polly Buxton.	76	10	30	Norton, Mass.		F	"	M	House work.	Taunton, Mass.	Norton, Mass.	Bethnel Field.	Sally Lincoln.
Sep. 13	Prusha W. Strong.	85			Chesterfield.		"	"	W	" "	Chesterfield.		Ashbel Wheeler.	Diana Randall.
" 20	Mark Cook.	88		11	Stratton, Vt.	M		"	W	Farmer.	Rhode Island.	Jamaca, Vt.	Arnold Cook.	Susy Livermore.
Oct. 16	Daniel E. Robbins.	65	1	24	Mason,	"		"	M	Stone Mason.			Thomas Robbins.	
" 19	Sarah R. Holman,	70		16	C e terfield.		F	"	"	Housewife.	Chesterfield.	Chesterfield.	A a Hamilton.	Almira Fullam.
Nov. 11	Maria Amidon.	65	5	13	Waterford, Vt.		"	"	"	" "			Samuel Farr.	Olive Stoddard.
Dec. 7	Reuben Nash.	91	3	15		M		"	W	Basket Maker.	Taunton, Mass.		Abraham Nash.	Betsy Smith.

*Single, Married or Widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SEWALL F. RUGG, Town Clerk.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the inhabitants of the town of Chesterfield, in the county of Cheshire, in said state, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town house in said town, on Tuesday, the tenth day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects, viz:

ARTICLE 1. To choose a clerk for the year ensuing.

ART. 2. To choose all necessary town officers, for the ensuing year.

ART. 3. To see what sum of money the town will raise for the support of schools, in addition to what is required by law, or act thereon.

ART. 4. To see what sum of money the town will raise to be worked out on the highways, or act thereon.

ART. 5. To see what sum of money the town will raise to defray town charges.

ART. 6. To determine the method of collecting taxes.

ART. 7. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen not to appoint an agent for sale of spirituous liquors for the ensuing year.

ART. 8. To see what sum of money the town will raise for the support of the town library, in addition to what is already required, or act thereon.

ART. 9. To see if the town will vote to widen the road leading from the can shop to the saw mill of F. B. Pierce, or act thereon.

Given under our hands and seal, this nineteenth day of February, 1896.

SEM L. STOWELL,
ELLON A. SAFFORD,
FRED E. ATHERTON,
Selectmen of Chesterfield.

A true copy of warrant,—Attest:

SEM L. STOWELL,
ELLON A. SAFFORD,
FRED E. ATHERTON,
Selectmen of Chesterfield.